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Sir: Transmitted herewith is a response to the office action dated September 24, 2003 in the subject application. Small entity status is claimed for this application under 37 CFR 1.27. Petition for an extension of time for the period noted below, as well as for any additional period necessary to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee. Other: Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 in the total amount indicated below. A duplicate copy of this

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CLAIM FEE	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE
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